### REBUTTAL TO ARGUMENT AGAINST

PROPOSITION\_\_\_**87** 

### DO YOU TRUST THE OIL COMPANIES?

Oil companies are paying for the multimillion dollar misinformation campaign against Prop 87.

See for yourself: California State Website: www.cal-access.ss.ca.gov

Notice the oil companies didn't sign the statement at the top of this page?

What else are they hiding?

THE FACTS:

# \*PROP 87 MAKES OIL COMPANIES PAY THEIR FAIR SHARE.

Oil companies pay billions in drilling fees in New Mexico, Alaska, Louisiana, and even Texas. California is the only state where the oil companies do not pay similar drilling fees.

\*PROP 87 MAKES IT ILLEGAL FOR OIL COMPANIES TO PASS THE COST ON TO CONSUMERS BY RAISING GAS PRICES. Official Initiative Language, §42004(c)

Think about it: If the oil companies could really pass the cost on to us, why would they be spending millions to defeat Prop 87?

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## \*PROP 87 MEANS CLEANER AIR, LESS ASTHMA.

That's why Prop 87 is endorsed by the American Lung Association.

\*PROP 87 MEANS MORE ALTERNATIVE FUELS AND LESS DEPENDENCE ON FOREIGN OIL.

Almost half of California's imported oil comes from Saudi Arabia and Iraq. Prop 87 would reduce our dependence on foreign oil.

That's why former Secretary of State Madeleine Albright endorses Prop 87...

#### \*PROP 87 HAS NO NEW BUREAUCRACY.

Prop 87 requires independent audits, strict limits on administrative spending, open meetings with accountability, and oversight by public health and energy experts – not politicians. Official Initiative Language, §26004(a)

DON'T BE FOOLED BY THE OIL COMPANIES.

ENOUGH IS ENOUGH.

MAKE THE OIL COMPANIES PAY THEIR FAIR SHARE. (Page 2 of 3)

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VOTE YES ON 87. FOR CLEANER, CHEAPER ENERGY.

Dr. Mario Molina, Nobel Prize in Chemistry

University of California, San Diego

Tim Carmichael, President



Coalition for Clean Air

Jamie Court, President

Foundation for Taxpayer and Consumer Rights

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